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1. ARTICLE IN JUNE 29 SUNDAY TIMES BY MINING EDITOR ADAM PAYNE MAKES SAME POINTS AS REFTEL (A) ABOUT GOLD PAYMENT UNDER MOZAMBIQUE/SA MINE LABOR AGREEMENT.

2. PAYNE GIVES FIGURE OF R150 MILLION (\$210 MILLION) AS AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SUBSIDY TO MOZAMBIQUE, BASED ON NEW HIGHER RATES FOR MINERS. SAYS 98,000 MOZAMBICANS WORKING IN SA MINES.

3. R150 MILLION FIGURE IS HIGHER THAN WE HAVE HEARD FROM OTHER
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SOURCES AND WORKS OUT AT R1,530 (\$2,142) PER MINER PER YEAR.

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